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deaths in Port Limon during the week as follows: November 5, an adult, 40 years of age, from pneumonia, and November 9, an adult, 40 years of age, from paralysis.

Respectfully,

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CUBA.

Reports from Cienfuegos, Casilda, and Santa Cruz del Sur.

CIENFUEGOS, CUBA, *November 19, 1900.*

SIR: I have the honor to report that during the week ended November 17, 1900, 19 deaths have occurred in this city from the following causes: Pernicious fever, 3; paludism, 2; tuberculosis, 2; wounds, 2; arterial esclerosis, 1; congenital debility, 1; enteritis, 1; no contagious diseases reported; abdominal hemorrhage, 1; intestinal colic, 1; Bright's disease, 1; old age, 1; heart disease, 1; uræmia, 1; mitral insufficiency, 1; death rate for week 24.76.

Health of city and vicinity excellent. Weather dry and cool. The collector of customs requested the use of the steam launch at this station, to convey Secretary Root and General Wood to visit the city of Rhodas on the 16th instant, which I accordingly placed at his disposal.

Sixteen vessels have entered this port; 16 vessels have been issued bills of health; 2 immigrants have been inspected and allowed to land; 57 health certificates to passengers leaving this port and 87 pieces baggage have been inspected and passed; 13 pieces baggage arriving from Havana, destined for ports between this and Santiago, disinfected during the week; 8 pieces baggage arriving from Havana, destination Santiago, were labeled to be disinfected at Santiago; 37 pieces baggage from Havana, destined for Cienfuegos, inspected and passed.

Casilda.—Dr. Alejandro Cantero reports 3 deaths in the city of Trinidad. No contagious diseases. He at the same time laments the good health of that city and thinks it would be a good place to establish a sanitarium for acclimatization, for the doctors have not enough work to keep them occupied. Inspected 6 vessels at that port during the week.

Santa Cruz del Sur.—Dr. Juan R. Xiques reports no deaths at that port during the week; no contagious diseases existing. Health of port good. Six vessels were inspected.

Respectfully,

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Inspection of immigrants at Cienfuegos during the week ended November 17, 1900.

CIENFUEGOS, CUBA, *November 19, 1900.*

SIR: I herewith submit report of alien steerage passengers at this port during the week ended November 17, 1900: November 12, Spanish steamship *Nieta*, from Liverpool, for Spain, and West Indies, with 1 Welsh immigrant. November 13, steamship *Folsjo*, from Guanta, South America, with 1 German immigrant.

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